HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1878.

Intimations.

EX LATE ARRIVALS.

COLLARS and SHIRTS, in New Shapes.

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FRENCH and ENGLISH DOLLS.

RACQUET BATS and BALLS.

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MBRELLAS, AUTOMATON PATENT.

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LADIES' DRESSING BAGS, Fitted.

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YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

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particulars of their Contributions.

RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents,

By Order of the Directors,

Hongkong, March 5, 1878,

or on Goods stored therein.

Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

HENRY B. HYDE, President.

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J. W. ALEKANDER, Vice-President.

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# Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. NATR THEODOR JOHANNES EN-GELBRECHT VON PUSTAU has been authorized to Sign our Firm per procuration.

WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, March 22, 1878.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr EDWARD CUNNINGHAM in our Firm in Hongkong and China, CEASED on the S1st December last.

RUSSELL & Co. China, March 8, 1878.

NOTICE,

HORATIO GAY JAMES WAS admitted a Partner in our Firm on the 1st January, 1878. GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, January 5, 1878,

NOTICE. HAVE This Day established myself at this Port as a MERCHANT and COM-MISSION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., who will henceforward conduct the Agency of the Australian Steam Navigation

COMPANY. G. R. STEVENS. Hongkong, December 29, 1877.

NOTICE, AR. H. F. MEYERINK has been admitted a Partner in our Firm from This Date.

MEYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1878.

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Intimations.

Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS COM-PANY, LIMITED.

URING the Temporary Assence of the Undersigned, Mr THOMAS DANIEL COX PARKER is appointed Acting Manager.

\_ A. NEWTON, Manager. ap20

Hongkong, March 20, 1878.

PIANOFORTE TUNING,

TR. J. BUCHANAN, BANDMASTER of Her Majesty's 74th Highlanders, bega to announce to the Public of Hongkong that he will undertake to TUNE PIANOFORTES during his stey in the

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By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD.

Becretary. Hongkong, September 15, 1877.

DENTAL NOTICE.

Risks at greatly reduced rates and upon R. ROGERS begs to intimate to his Friends that he is about to visit For full information and particulars, SHANGHAI, 2nd will be absent from Hongkong from April 1st to June 15th. Hongkong, March 4, 1878.

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Auctions.

Hongkong, March 20, 1878.

FURNITURE SALE. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have 1 received instructions to sell by

Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 28th March, 1878, at 2 o'clock p.m.,

at No. 10, Seymour Terrace, the Residence of Rev. J. LAMONT,-The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising: Drawing-room Chairs, Couches, Table, Mirror, Gasalier, &c., Dining Table, Sideboard, Whatnot, Crockery, Glass and Electroplated Ware, Wardrobes, Bedsteads,

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Hongkong, March 22, 1878.

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DAY, the 27th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO, R. STEVENS & Co., Rongkong, March 21, 1878.

FOR PORT DARWIN. The Australasian Steam Navigation Company's Char-tered Steamer "CHARLTON,"

J. Johnson, Commander, will leave for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 29th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., Hongkong, March 22, 1878.

FOR YOKOHAMA & HIOGO. The British Steamship "AFGHAN," Hunz, Manter, shortly ex-

pected, will have quick de-For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, March 23, 1878.

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Steamers. FOR SINGAPORE, BRISBANE,

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The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co.'s Steamer "BRISBANE" will be despatched for the above Ports on the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Hongkong, March 20, 1878.

FOR NAGASAKI. The Steamship will be despatched as above on or about the 28th Instant.

For Freight, apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Hongkong, March 21, 1878.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR LONDON. The A I British Barque "IONIAN, CAVE, Master, will load here, and will be despatched on the

30th Instant. For Freight, apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, March 19, 1878.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Bark "FALCON," DAVID BARRY, Master, will load

here and have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MEYER & Co.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A.1 American ship

For Freight, apply to

FOR MANILA. The Spanish Schooner

Captain I. URIABTE, will have immediate despatch as above. For Breight, apply to

REMEDIOS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 6, 1878. FOR PORTLAND (OREGON).

The A 1 American Ship "ANNIE M. SMULL," PACKER, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have: quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

YOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The A 1 American Ship "COMET."Norris, Master, will have immediate despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 28, 1878,

FOR LONDON. The A 1 American Ship WHITMORE, Master, will have quick despatch for the above Port.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, February 8, 1878.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). The A 1 British Ship Evans, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch,

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, January 80, 1878.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Bark "B. F. WATSON," HAWKINS, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch,

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, January 30, 1878.

Hongkong, February 8, 1878. will load here for the above Port, and have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1878.

#### Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMER "MACTAN," FROM MANILA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are hereby notified that their Cargo is being landed and stored in the Godowns of the Undersigned at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 22, 1878.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

S. S. PEI HO.

#### NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. Copernic, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees, before To-DAY, the 20th Instant, at 1 p.m., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after WED-NESDAY, the 27th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

> H. DU POUEY, Agent.

Hongkong, March 20, 1878.

#### Intimations.

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Hongkong, March 12, 1878.

## To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship "KJOBENHAVN. JERICHAU, Master, will be despatched for the above Port TO MORROW, the 26th Inst., at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, March 25, 1878. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, TAMSUI AND

TAIWANFOO. The Steamship "ALBAY," Capt. F. Ashron, will be de-

spatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, at Daylight, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

FOR YOKOHAMA & HIOGO. The Steamer "OXFORDSHIRE" will leave on or about 1st Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to TURNER & Co.,

Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

FOR SHANGHAL

· The Steamship "BRAEMAR CASTLE," axpected here on or about the 29th Instant, will have immediate despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTURE of the S. S. "CITY OF TOKIO" has been POSTPONED to THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at Noon. RUSSELL & Co.,

#### To-day's Advertisements.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 German Ship JACHENS, Master, will load here as above.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). The A 1 American Ship "FREEMAN OLARK," DWIGHT, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have

quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

#### Not Responsible for Debts.

Aleither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-

Quickster, American barque, Captain Barnaby, -Captain.

Louisa, German 3-m. schooner, Captain Schierloh. - Eduard Schellhass & Co. NORTH STAR, American ship, Captain J. U. Thomson, -Order.

P. J. Carleton, American barque, Capt. For BANGKOK .-J. A. Amaburg. -P. & O. Co. RAJANATTIANUHAB, British etr., Capt.

Geo. T. Hopkins.—Yuen Fat Hong. Occident, British barque, Capt. Reuter. -Chinese.

CALDERA, British str., Captain Williams. -Jardine, Matheson & Co.

#### SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

March 24, Kashgar, British steamer, 1515, E. J. Baker, Bombay March 5, Gaile 10, Penang 15, and Singapore 18, Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

March 24, Zamboanga, Spanish steamer, 651, Aranguren, Haiphong March 21, Rice, -LANDSTEIN & Co.

March 24, Cassandra, German steamer, 987, W. Langer, Saigon March 19, Rice,-WM. PUSTAU & Co.

March 24, Orissa, British steamer, 1119. H. Jay, Bombay Feb. 25, via Penang and Singapore, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. March 24, Cheang Hook Kian, British

steamer, 956, F. Webb, Singapore March 16, General.—MAN HING CHAN. March 24, Ulysses, British steamer, 1660. T. A. Guard, Shanghai March 20, Rice for

Whampoa. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. March 24, Perim, British steamer, 1016. J. W. Linton, Kobe March 17, Rice and General -T. G. LINSTEAD.

March 25, An-lan, Chinese R. C., from March 25, Khiva, British steamer, 1506,

George Lee, Shanghal March 22, Mails and Thursday, 28th instant. March 25, Marion, British steamer, 642,

Smith, Bangkok March 11, Rice,-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. March 25, Caldera, British steamer, 1803.

Robert B. Williams, Kobe March 18, Rice. -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. March 25, Java, Dutch steamer, 886, B.

S. Weber, Saigon March 18, Rice. - WM. PUSTAU & Co.

DEPARTURES. Mar. 24. Douglas, for Coast Ports. 24, China, for Shanghai via Ningpo. 24, Yangtsze, for Shanghai via 8'tow.

24, Amoy, for Shanghai. 24, Norna, for Swatow.

24, Resperia, for Canton, 24. Charon Wattana, for Bangkok.

24, Peng-chou-hai, for a cruise. 25, Nuevo Constante, for Manila,

25, Kaiser, for Manila. Ulysses, for Whampoa.

25, Kwa Shing, for Shanghal. 25, An-lan, Chi. R. C., for Holhow. 25, Killarney, for Swatow.

ULEARED. Louisa, for Halphong.

Nicolaus, for Tientsin. Cheang Hock Kian, for Swatow. Laughing Wave, for Singaporo. Humboldt, for Manila, Alcestis, for Newshwang.

# PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Kashgar, for Hongkong : from Homebay, Mr B. Cooverjee; from Southampton, Capt. J. G. Mead and 2 European servants, Lt. G. F. King Hall, Staff-surg. Laurensen, J. Lauts; from Penang, 5 Chinese; from. Singapore, 52 Chinese. For Shaughai: from Southampton, Chief-Justice French. Mr T. Watters, and Mrs Castler i from Brindisi, Bishop Zanoli, Messre E, van Kessel, T. Durvens, B. Domsels, M. Hingers, P. Holter, and A. Braun | from Penang, Mr J. A. Taylor; from Singapore, Mr P. A. Miolk, For Yokohama from Bombay, Mesers R. W. Leyland, and

Per Khiva, from Shanghal ; for Venice, Mr H. Her's ; for London, Mr C. Zustour ; for Hongkong, Messes A. E. Salter, G. McDonald, H. Moss, and 46 Chinese. Per Cassandra, from Saigon, Mr Galles,

and 10 Chinese. Per Caldera, from Kobe, Mr Braess, and Chinese.

Per Zamboanga, from Haiphong, 18 Ohi-Per Orissa, from Straits, 47 Chiness. Per Cheang Hock Kian, from Singapore; 620 Chinese.

Per Java, from Saigon, 5 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Douglas, for Swatow, Mr and Mrs Huber; for Amoy, Mr J. Bruce; for Fodchow, Rev. M. Gimeno, and Rev. Fermin

Perez. Per Norna, for Swatow, 43 Chinese.

# The British steamer Kashgar reports:

Shipping.

To Singapore had very light weather, and thence to arrival strong N.E. winds. The Spanish steamer Zamboanga reports First part of passage had thick foggy weather, latter part moderate monsoon and

The British steamer Cheang Hock Kian reports: Fresh monsoon and fine clear weather throughout the passage.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Ulysses reports : First part calms and hazy weather, middle and latter part of passage moderate N.E. wind, fine and clear weather and smooth water until arrival here.

The British steamer Perim reports : Fine weather to North end of Formosa, thence strong N.E. monsoon with rain to Chapel Island, and from thence light winds and hazy to port. Passed H.M.S. June on 20th inst. standing E.N.E. under steam,

The British steamer Marion reports: Strong monsoon from Pulo Obl, to Padaran strong current.

The Dutch steamer Java reports: N.E. winds throughout the passage.

#### POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAILS will close:-

FOR BHANGHAL ---Per Kashgar, at 9 a.m. To-morrow, the 26th inst. Late letters received from Monday, April 1:-9.10 to 9.30, with 18 cents late fee.

For SHANGHAL-Per Kjobenhavn, at 10.30 a.m. To-morrow, the 26th inst.

Per barque W. H. Gladstone, at 8 p.m. To-morrow, the 26th inst. For SAIGON .-

Per Altona, at 4.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 26th inst., instead of as previously For SWATOW, AMOY, TAMSUI AND

TAIWAN .-Per Albay, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 26th inst. For HAIPHONG AND HANOL -

Per Zamboanga, at 9.80 a.m., on Wednesday, the 27th inst. March 24, China, German steamer, from For PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c.-

Per Ocean, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 27th inst. Postage, 12 cents. For BANGKOK -Per Rajanattianuhar, at 4.30 p.m., on

Thursday, the 28th inst. For YOKOHAMA,-Per Malacca, on or about Thursday, the 28th inst.

For PORT DARWIN,-Per Charlton, at 11.80 a.m., on Friday, the 29th inst.

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET.— English Contract Packet Khiva,

will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, do., on THURSDAY, the The Manufactory is under direct and 28th Instant. The following will be the hours of closing the Malis, do :-

Wednesday, 27th instant -5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 P.M., Post Office closes except the Night Box, which remains open all night.

7 A.M., Post Office opens of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence.

10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Lat-Letters. Registry of Letters ceases. [10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted with LATE Fam of 18 cents extra

11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely. [11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom Via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may

be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage, 11.50 A.M., when the Mail is finally

Hongkong, March 14, 1878.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Tolsio will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 28th instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, and the United States,

which will be closed as follows :-11 A.M. Registry of Letters ceases, 11.80 A.M. Post-Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on board the Packet with

Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies (except the Bahamas and Hayti), Costa Rica, Honduras, Monte Video, New Granada, Paraguay, and Uruguay can no longer be sent by this route. Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-

and Mr T. W. Duggleby; from Venice, Mr The French Contract Packet Anadyr will Mails to and throligh the United Kingdom and Europe, rid Marscilles; to Salgon, Singapore, Batavia, Galle, Pondicherry, Madras, Calcutta, Bombay, Aden, Suez, and Alexandria.

The following will be the hours of closing the Mails, &c. :--Wednesday, April 3rd.

\$ P.M., Money Order Office closes. Office closes except the Night Box, which remains open all night. Thursday, April 4th.-

A.M., Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Segistry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence. 10 a.m., Registry of Listters ceases. 11 a.m., Post Office closes except for Late

Letters. 11.10 A.w., Letters (but Letters only) may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage,

11,30 A.M., when the Post Office CLORES

entirely. Houstong, March 20, 1876. MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

11 a.m. - Kjobenhavn leaves for Shanghal

## General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, March 27:-Daylight .- Albay leaves for Swatow, &c.

Noon .- Ocean leaves for Port Darwin, &co. Goods per Pei Ho undelivered after Noon, subject to rent and landing charges.

THURSDAY, March 28 :-

Noon.-English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Noon. -- American Mail leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. 2 p.m.-Furniture Sale, &c., at No. 10, Seymour Terrace.

Jury," at the Lusitano. Brisbane leaves for Singapore, &c. Cairnsmuir leaves for Nagasaki on of about this date.

FRIDAY, March 29:-

Noon. - Charlton leaves for Port Darwin. SATURDAY, March 30:--

2 p.m. -Furniture Sale, &c., at No. 55, Wyndham Street. Ionian leaves for London.

Oxfordshire leaves for Yokohama, dre. on or about this date.

THURSDAY, April 4:-Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. TUESDAY, April 9:-

3 p.m.—Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.

Francisco.

Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San

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BIRTH. At Penlee, Stoke, Devenport, January 25th, the Wife of George Ignatius Pirkis.

Assist, Commissary General, of a Son. MARRIAGE. On the 14th Feb., at St. Glles's Church, Norwich, Albert Cubtis Dulcken, formerly editor of the Hongkong Daily Press, to LEONORA, Daughter of the late Siday

# Hawse, of Coltishall, Norfolk.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1878.

An interesting letter has appeared in the

Penang Gazette, from a planter of Province Wellesley, in regard to the cultivation of tea in the Malayan Peninsula. The writer states he has planted since 1874 two hundred and fifty acres with tea shrubs, of which one hundred and fifty acres now only require pruning to be ready for picking, while the remaining hundred are recently planted. Eminent planters from India have visited and reported most favourably on the cultivation, asserting that it will compare favourably with that of many estates in India. This is the more surprising as the results have been attained without any previous knowledge or experience on the part of the planter in regard to the cultivation, In the course of his communication he expresses his opinion that the Malay Peninsula contains millions of acres of low, thickly wooded, hills, which are remarkably well adapted for the growth of tea. The variety to be planted must, mc28 he thinks, be the indigenous Assam and no other. In point of fact, he need no other permanent cultivation suitable for the lands in question but that of tea or coffee. Some of the tea made on his be despatched from Hongkong on estate had realised in the Home market example thus set, our zoological garden amounted now to about 5 lakhe of rupees. the price of Assam and had been declared. equal to it in every respect. The remarks here expressed being the results of an experiment on an extensive scale are of unquestionable importance. The Malayan Peninsula may be at the present time regarded as a vast uncultivated territory, and if the land is found favourable to the growth of the tea shrub, there is no reason whatever why, as the country is gradually brought under the care of the planter, the Peninsula should not become a formidable competitor with China in the tea market. Hi- him. therto the Peninsula seems to have been chiefly notable in the commercial world for its production of bamboos. The tea trade of China is now threatened on all sides. First it is India, then Japan, and lastly the Malayan Peninsula that menaces China with sharp rivalry in the stanle article of her commerce. Should the Indian opium trade at any future time cease, either through the increased production of the drug in Ohina or interspi ference on the part of the British Go

vernment, doubtless the production of ragamuffins are generally set on to strangers. tes in India will receive an impetus that Let him try it. may have ery disastrons effects upon the tea trade of China. If the cultivation of opium in our Indian empire is stopped, the land must be utilized for some other products or the country must come to grief.

APROPOS of opium we observe that Consul Alabaster, in his recently published report on the trade of Amoy for 1876, which form additional evidence of the fact, echoed by apparently all foreign officials in China, that the production of native opium is largely on the increase, and that the Chinese Government, al-9 p.m. - Performance of "Trial by against the cultivation, make no active and honest efforts for its suppression. Considerable quantities of native opium are, says Mr Alabaster, produced in the neighbourhood with the cognisance, and, indeed, under the authority of the mandarins, who levy a tax upon it. Owing, eign drug. "It is even possible," adds the Consul, "that we may see the curious spectacle of China exporting to England the drug she wrongfully blames us for Court. introducing into her country, as inquiries bility of using it in the manufacture of laudanum, morphia, &c., at home." of the latest numbers of the Peking Gazette contains a reiteration of Imperial edict against the cultivation of

> aspects of opium smoking :still instances of ruin to be seen distinctly attributable to opium, as there are instances opium-smoking being now openly practised, and the demoralisation of secrecy removed, the strong feeling against it no longer and abominable of vices, the commonalty have come to see that moderately indulged in it is certainly harmless, if not absolutely beneficial, and cases of excess will necessarily recur so long as the tendency of mankind to overstep the narrow bounds of moderation diminishing, and as the distinction between the use and abuse of the stimulant is becoming better understood, opium will the place in China that is held by alcoholic drinks at home-approved by some, condemned by others, and used by all.

# LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The delivery of the English Mail was begun at 9.55 yesterday morning.

THE steamers Conquest, Dale, Thales and Yottung were at Haiphong when the Zambodnga left.

Jardine, Matheson & Co.) that the steamer brought more under his immediate care. Gleneagles left Singapore yesterday for this It appeared, however, that he could not do

the new Judge of the Supreme Court at Shanghai (in place of Sir Edmund Hornby), nor eat. The sanguine doctor then removed on his way to that port.

THE Fleurs . Castle (s.) reached New York on the 11th February with a broken shaft. The Lod re, from London to this port, left Falmouth on the 9th Feb., after undergoing repairs: she has been delayed about three months, having started from London

on the 30th October. BATHER serious accident occurred on Friday morning to one of the Quarter Masters, named Anderson, of the P. M. S. been reinforced and has proceeded to Gal-City of Tokio. It appears from what we lipoli. can learn that the poor fellow fell down one of the hatchways and sustained such serious internal injuries that he had to be conveyed the Englishman of the 18th February. A to Hospital to-day,

Swinhos Pheasant, which Captain F. Ashton has just presented to the Government Gardens. If captains of merchant steamers would more generally follow the laudable would scon have to extend its borders or at This hoarding of paper money too is very least multiply its coops and cages. WE learn that Mr Forrest, of H. M. Consular propensity for hoarding money shown by Service, goes home on leave. Mr Alabaster

WE have seen a fine live specimen of the

BEGGAR-BOYS are still as great a nuisance as ever in Queen's Road. The flirty little rascals are generally under the orders of a and as they are soldom found by strangers bigger boy, who directs the operations of the former. Does the Superintendent of Police are now distributed over various portions ever visit Queen's Road? We do not think, of the country of use to no one and utterly lost to trade .- Rangoon Gasette. considering that he is seldom seen there, he could fail to be an attraction to the juveniles, Ma Liddell, a gentleman largely interested

the mail steamer yesterday) proceeds

Ichang, whither Mr Hopkins will accompany

An inquest was held at the Magistracy this afternoon (25th), before C. V. Creagh, Esq., Coroner, with Mesers C. F. Harton, C. D. Halliburton, and A. F. de J. Soares, as Jury, on the body of Chan Achung, a prisoner in the Victoria Gaol undergoing a term of imprisonment for larceny. On the 22nd instant, he was admitted to the hosmakes some remarks concerning the drug, pital and died on the night of the 23rd from disease of the heart .- A verdict of death from natural causes was returned.

In the Supreme Court to-day an ex parte though constantly fulminating edicts application was to have been made by the defendant in the recently-tried suit of Lum Chu She v. Cheung Che Wan for a new trial, but owing to some misunderstanding the Counsel making the motion did not receive proper instructions, so that after the waste of an hour, the application however to its inferior quality, he does had to be adjourned. There is a screw not think it affects the sale of the for- loose somewhere, and the right nail, if it could be found, ought to be hit on the head, for the sake of the dignity of the

are already being made as to the possi- In is gratifying to note that the young pine-trees now dotted all over the island-Kennedy Road, Peak Road, and at the Gap -are sprouting and thriving in a most satisfactory manner. The Surveyor General's the drug in the Empire, with special scheme for planting trees is being quietly reference to Shansi. These are Consul carried on, at various points of the Island, Alabaster's views in regard to the moral At Pokfolum the waste ground between the Old Reservoir and Police Station is now As regards the moral question, there are neatly laid out in beds, and surrounded by a wall, the beds being sown with fir-tree seed, at home of ruin caused by drunkenness; but for tree-planting purposes of the future. In this respect H. E. Mr Hennessy deserves well of the community, and he will be more exists, and though you will find total likely to be remembered by posterity by abstainers to denounce it as the most hurtful means of this scheme than by any other act of his administration.

ANOTHER inquest was held with the same jury on the body of Chan Ahi, a coolie, who but the vice of opium-smoking is gradually died in the Tung Wah Hospital. From the evidence it appeared that the deceased was one of the coolies employed to discharge a cargo of sugar from the steamer Pearl on the 28th February last. A bag of the sugar fell on his left leg, which was fractured. The Captain of the steamer ordered him to be taken to the Man Hing Hong, the agents, and from thence he was sent to the Tung Wah Hospital. The doctors there pronounce ed his injuries to be too severe to give hopes of recovery. An outside doctor named Tong Sz Lan, at No. 61, Queen's Road West, was then called in by the deceased's friends, and he undertook to cure the man for \$45, This doctor then removed the deceased to WE are informed by the agents (Messrs his own house in order that he might be anything for him, and the deceased lingered on till the 20th inst., when he shewed de-WE note the arrival of Chief Justice French, oided symptoms of collapse, as he was so far gone that he could neither open his mouth. him back to the Tung Wah Hospital on the 22nd inst., where he died this morning VESSELS spoken: Dec. 29, Haydn Brown, (25th) from lock-jaw, as this doctor ascribed New York to Shanghai, 10° S. 33° W. it. The Jury returned a verdict of death (?); Eliza Shaw, London to Shanghai, 83 from accident.

THERE are a few slight differences between the Hongkong and the Shanghai rendering

of the following recent telegram :-Shanghai. Honakona. London, Mar. 18. London, Mar. 17. The situation The political situation with regard to considered to be menthe Eastern question acing; the British Ironclad Squadron at Russians troops Gallipoli has been are near Bulair rein-reinforced.

The British Iron-near Bulair have been

Squadron has reinforced.

The Russian troops

A CURIOUS justance of the way in which natives of Bengal hoard money is given in Bhagulpore Zemindar who died not long ago left in one of his boxes Bank of Bengal notes chiefly dated 1835 to the value of Rs. 119.000. His relatives presented these last week for payment at the Bank, and after the notes had been duly examined, received their value in cash. For about 43 years then the owner of this money received nothing for it. Had he invested it in Government funds the sum would have remarkable showing that the man had confidence in the Bank of Bengal at any rate. Although Burmese have nothing like the natives of India we have no doubt large sums of silver are buried in this progoes to Tientsin (his proper post, strange to vince. Most of our cultivators who say); while Mr Parker comes to Canton, in have a sufficient number of cattle bury their surplus cash in the ground raplace of Mr Giles, who succeeds Mr Phillips ther than invest it in banks or the funds. at Amoy. Mr T. Watters (who strived by The enormous amount of silver which has been exported to the wild country beyond our frontier for timber in the past thirty years is generally buried by the Karens and Shans, and a certain portion of the buried money they never touch, thinking that if they do so they will want for it in the next stage of existence. Thus large amounts of silver are annually taken out of circulation. lowing to the secresy with which they are hidden, it is probable that lakhs of rupeet

especially if out of uniformator the small in tea, has succeeded in floating a new some

pany is £30,000 of which £17,000 represent for by the defendants. the price of Mr Liddell's tea garden at Neddlwuttum, estimated to cover 1,500 the provisions of the Civil Procedure Code, acres, of which several hundred acres are in | the Court thought the application was reaa forward state and ready for plucking. sonable. held, notwithstanding the low quotation for the Indian article at the recent sales both plaintiff made in Manila. at Home and in Calcutta. To Mr Liddell in investments of this description. Various reasons have been urged to account for the recent fall in prices of Indian teas. The while holding them not altogether blameless, we are of opinion, that the tea planter | Mr Toller observed that if that was the depreciation. We cannot believe that a the plaintiff. really good tea will fail to realize a good . His Lordship said he was very sorry price. Carelessness in manufacture, result- for it. ing in a large admixture in the consignments of burnt tea, has doubtless operated against the ready and profitable sale of Indian teas. The low prices and tardy sales of the last season's crop ought to induce our planting friends to devote more attention to the various processes of manufacture by which they will be able to turn out a really first class article. Mr Liddell's company will not probably be the only one that will be formed this year, others will come into existence, and we hope that vested interests will bring pressure to bear on the Home authorities, and thus compel the Indian Government to remove the restrictions which it has thought fit to impose upon the acquisition of land in Southern India,-South of India Observer.

(London & China Express, Feb. 15.)

In the House of Commons on the 11th Feb. in answer to Mr M. Stewart, Lord G. Hamilton said the reply of the Indian Government with reference to the Chefoo Convention had been received and would be laid on the table of the House.

The first Levée of the season was held by the Prince of Wales on the 9th inst., at St James's Palace. Presentations were considered as equivalent to those made to Her The Diplomatic Circle at the Levée was attended by the Chinese and Japanese Ministers. Sir Thomas Wade was

It is probable that Vice-Admiral Ryder will be offered the post of Naval Com-

mandant at Devenport. Vice-Admiral Shadwell's term of office as President of the Royal Naval College Greenwich will only last for one year.

It will be of interest to China readers to note the rapid promotion of Captain D. B. Burn, erstwhile aide-de-camp to General Whitfeild, while in command in Hong Kong. Leaving, about two years ago, the 75th (Stirlingshire) Regiment, he joined the 18th Hussars, and is already half-way up the list of captains.

The last mail from Peru announces that the first steamer from Hong Kong with Chinese emigrant labourers under the new rules is expected to arrive at Callao early in noon. March. The Peruvian planters entertain great hopes of success from this emigration. In the face of the discussion carried on in these columns regarding the obstructions placed by the Hongkong Government in the way of the despatch of the Str. Perusia, this is news indeed, coming from such

Bourge,-ED. C. M.] The Hannah Law, from Hongkong to New York, was abandoned January 24th, ninety miles from port; the crew were saved by the Minnehaha, and landed at Yarmouth,

N.S., on the 28th. As it is oustomary on regiments going into active service for officers attached to them, but holding staff appointments, to be ordered to rejoin, it is likely that Captain Huskisson, 80th (Staffordshire Volunteers) Regiment, will have to vacate his present berth of aide-de-camp to Lieut-General Sir F. Colborne, at Hongkong, and proceed to the Cape.

The subscriptions for the "China Famine Fund" paid into the Agra Bank now amoun to £650, including £100 from Mr Hanbury. The sum of Tls. 2,500 has been transmitted by telegram to the Shanghai Committee. The London Committee is not yet announced. The return of Sir Thomas Wade to Peking

has been for some time doubtful, but we understand that it is now decided that he will resume his post in the autumn. Fraser will continue to discharge the duties at Peking as Charge d'Affaires.

## SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before His Lordship Acting Chief Justice SNOWDEN.) 25th March, 1878.

> A NEW TRIAL BY SPECIAL JURY. Ashburn v. Hang Yik, \$700.

This was an action on an agreement arising out of a charter party. The plaintiff is the master of the British barque Evening Star, and the defendants merchants in the Colony. In the month of July the defendants chartered the plaintiff's vessel to go to a place in Annam called Lach Kouen. The vessel arrived in August last at a place which was marked in the chart prior A aupercargo, as usual, was placed charterer, but on arrival at the place indicated on the map, the charterer said it was not the place they wanted to go to, and asked the Captain to go elsewhere. The plaintiff declined to do so unless he was paid \$700 for additional expenses. This was agreed to by the supercargo and an endorsement to that effect was made on the original tharter party. This was found to be a wrong place also, and the charterer refused to par the \$700. An action was brought, and judgment was given in favour of the blaintiff. The defendants appealed against this decision before the full Court. Ohief Justice Sir John Smale, failing in effecting a compromise, ordered a new trial of the case. It was this new trial that came before

the Court to-day. Mr Toller appeared for the plaintiff. Mr Hayllar, Q. C., instructed by Mr Brereton, for the defendants.

The following special Jury of three was empanelled :- Measra W. Reiners, J. G. T. Hassell, and J. M. Forbes, Jr. At the outset of the case Mr Hayllar

applied for security for costs, as the plaintiff was absent from the Colony. Mr. Toller said it was unusual for a suc-

pesselul litigant in an original suit to glas

The balance of £13,000 will be the working | Mr Toller said if that was the opinion of capital of the company, which is promised the Court he would give his personal lowing two years, and larger profits as the with a parration of the facts of the case. estates age. We notice the formation of He observed that as the plaintiff was now this company as an indication of the estim- absent, all he could tender in the shape of ation in which tea property continues to be evidence would be the documents. He proposed to put in an affidavit, which the

Mr Hayllar objected to its admission, as, examined viva voce.

After hearing Mr Hayllar's argument in support of this objection, the Court allowed London brokers and middle men have had it. The plaintiff must either appear in no inconsiderable share in this result, but person or have his evidence taken by commission at Manila. ~

himself must be credited with much of the ruling, it was practically denying justice to

The case was then adjourned sine die.

Police Intelligence. (Both Magistrates Sitting.) 25th March, 1878.

John Toole, private H. M. 74th Regt. was charged with the above offence under the following circumstances. The complainant, John Phillips, a corporal in the same regiment, stated that the defendant's bed was in the same Barrack room with his. At 6.33 p.m. on the 22nd instant, he put \$8 in notes, and two gold rings into his pillow case. The defendant was on the Defaulter's List and had to answer to his name every half hour. At } past 10 p.m. the defendant was found to be absent, and complainant had to take a picquet out to find him, but failed. At 5.30 a.m. on the

23rd the complainant found that he had lost the \$1 notes and gold rings. A report was made to the Police and the defendant was arrested. The two gold rings and five of the notes were found on him and identified .- Inspector Lindsay proved the arrest of the defendant in brothel No. 76. defendant had nothing to say and was sent to three months' hard labour.

MALICIOUS INJURY.

Frederick Wm. Stratford, seaman S.S. Marcia, was charged with cutting the ropes of the tackle falls by the sides of the old rates of freight on the Ningpo route. steamer, and throwing the same overboard. He did so because the Captain had refused to advance money to him. Fined \$25, or one month's imprisonment.

#### UNLAWFUL POSSESSION.

Inspector Grimes charged Cheung Aleung, a boatman, with having two bags pepper and cloves in his boat, which, moreover, got the things from a junk, which had left

PUBLIC GAMBLING. Chan Ashing, a coolie, was charged with gambling in a house in Gilman Bazaar (No. 22). As the Police broke into the house with a warrant be jumped out of the window and fractured his leg. Remanded

till 1st April.

#### ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer Kashgar, Captain E. J. Baker, arrived here yesterday morning, with the London mails to Feb. 15th.

(Straits Times Extra.)

Madras, March 2.-Mr John Miller, Administrator-General, died this morning of typhoid fever. He was the leading member of the bar and District Grand Master of the Freemasons in this Presid-Calcutta, March 8.—Yesterday evening a

public meeting was held in the Town Hall under the auspices of the British India Association for the purpose of considering the propriety of a petition to Parliament on the subject of Indian expenditure and taxation. About 700 persons were present nearly all natives. Resolutions were passed declaring the possibility of meeting all necessary State and famine expenditure by judicious retrenchments and economical administration without further taxation. The home military charges and outlay on public works were especially condemned. It was resolved to petition both Houses of Parliament. A committee of natives was appointed to carry out the resolution.

Rome, March 3 .- Owing to strong representations from the Catholic Powers, Cardinal Simeoni has resigned and Cardinal Franchi has been appointed Pontifical Secretary of State in his place.

London, March 4.—The treaty of peace between Russia and Turkey has been signed. Russia having renounced the claim to the tribute paid by Bulgaria and Egypt to the Porte. An agreement on all points has been arrived at and the treaty of peace is immediately after the entry of Tso-tsounexpected to be signed to-night. Earl tean the city was given over for plunder. Cadogan has been appointed Under-Secre. For several days scenes of the most frighttary of State for the Colonial Department ful description ensued, and the atrocities and Viscount Bury Under-Secretary of were only suspended when it became appar-State for War vice Earl Cadogan. The port of Salonika is not comprised in the new Bulgarian State, but Kustendje, Varna and Bourgai (query Burgas) are comprised. The indemnity of forty million pounds, sterling in bonds is reduced to twelve

London, March 5, - In the House of Lords last night, the Earl of Derby replying to a question, said the cession of the Turkish fleet was not included in the Russian conditions of peace. In the House of Commons Mr Gathorne Hardy, in presenting his Army estimates, said our Army was in excellent condition, and numbers 110,000 men, besides 400,000 auxiliaries. Only the preliminaries of peace have been algued. The definitive treaty of peace will be drafted at St. Petersburg. The fortress of Erzeroum is to be restored to Turkey. The question of the passage of the Dardanelles is to be reserved for discussion whither. His wives and family sought

millions.

hereafter: pean Congress, instead of a Conference, is where they were disarmed by the Russian again deminant, as being more likely to suthorities. Among them were four Turklead to a common accord. The treaty of leb officers who had been sent by the Sultan clauses in the peace prelimination with need. The Austrian subjects residing in 1 5, Catharine,

roubles, balance of 1,410 millions demanded followers. excellent returns, six per cent., in the fol- security for the costs. He then proceeded by Russia in the revised peace conditions. will be present.

Rome, March 7 .- The Italian Legislature promised to uphold Italian unity.

for St. Petersburg. It is generally hoped as evidence that his influence is failing. that the Czar will make further concessions in the conditions of peace.

#### Ohina. SHANGHAI. (News.)

with a memorial from the Tsungli Yamen, the Emperor has conferred on all Commist resumed. On the arrival of the C.M.S.N. sioners of Customs the third rank in the Co.'s steamer at Ningpo yesterday morning, Civil Service, and on Acting Commissioners | there was considerable excitement amongst the fourth rank, a measure that will facilitate their intercourse with native officials. . taken their passages under the impression

The junk King-Chiang-Ho, sunk in colli- them. The vessel, instead of coming alongsion with the steamer Ningpo, has been side the wharf, as is customary, anchored raised by Messrs. Boyd and Co., and suc- the middle of the stream and none of the cessfully floated to a safe position on the recalcitrant passengers were allowed to land mud near their dock. It is said the junk until the matter had been referred to the is badly injured, but that the steamer must | agent of the Company, who, we understand,

Messrs. Siemssen & Co.'s steamer West Stanley, which had been for some days was not licensed. The defendant said he ashore on Plover Point, in the Yangtsze. was got off at ten o'clock on Sunday the Colony. Remanded till to-morrow at morning, and proceeding at once down the river, anchored at Woosung. She had luckily received no damage, and has since

proceeded on her voyage to Canton. We presume something will be made of the ex-railway line, eventually. But the experiments being made upon it are, in the meantime, scarcely less trying than those to which the plant is being subjected Formosa. The local authorities have had a quantity of soil placed on the metal ballast, under the impression apparently that they have thereby converted it—not into a ploughed field, but into a foreign road. course it is rather premature to speak of their ultimate design, as the workmen are at present simply digging soil from the waste ground and piling it up in heaps on the line, while many mandarins in full costume look approvingly on. As they can scarcely be doing this with the idea of making the road impassable, we must surmise that the idea is to eventually rake it smooth, and declare the result a road. would venture, however, to suggest that that is not quite all that is needed make a road; and we do hope that, while they are about it, the authorities will go little farther and make a good job of the thing. It is so gratifying to see a disposition evinced to make a road at all, that we are far from desiring to carp at what is being done. We are only anxious that the money and the land should not be alike wasted, but that what is done should be well done, and the road made a good and practicable one

and not an impassable slough. The following details have been received at St. Petersburg from Taskhend, respecting the capture of Kashgar :-

"When the Chinese General appeared

within sight of Aksu last September, the Doungan inhabitants immediately manifested a desire to surrender; and although the city was strongly fortified and could have resisted the enemy many months, a capitulation was at once agreed on. Whether the negotiations were carried on directly between the people and Tso-tsountsan, or whether, as is more probable, the governor of the town took advantage of the desire for peace on the part of the inhabitants to accept the Chinese bribes to give up the fortress, is not yet authoritatively stated. At any rate the key of Kashgar surrendered without striking a blow, and ent to the Chinese General that the place, which on account of its resources he had chosen for his head-quarters, would become utterly depopulated if the excesses of his soldiers were not arrested. Several thousands of the people fied to the Russian frontion, where they received assistance from the Russian authorities. A few days after. the Chinese army, 20,000 strong, set out for Kashgar, accompanied by 15,000 Doungans. On its way it was met by a deputation from the town of Tourian, submitting the place to the Chinese. At Kotan a similar desire prevailed, but the Chinese General, instead of directing his steps towards it, as had originally been intended, when he heard a rumour that Bek Kuli Bek was there, proceeded direct to Kashgar. No opposition encountered him on the way, and on his arrival the city capitulated without firing a shot. Bek Kuli Bek fled, nobody knows refuge on Russian Sterritory. Two thous-Lundon; March 6 .- The idea of a Euro and Kashgarians also fied to the frontief

pany at Glasgow. The capital of the com. | security for costs on a new trial applied | peace stipulates that the ratifications shall | to drill the forces of Yakoob Beg. Yarkand | regard to an alliance between Russia and | Roumania have been summoned to report be made at St. Petersburg before the expi- and Kotan are the only two Kashgarian Turkey, but the majority of the Turkish themselves at the Austrian Consulate in After brief argument Mr Hayler, quoting ration of a fortnight. Russia claims a war towns remaining to be occupied by the vic- Ministers are understood to favour such an view of a possible mobilisation of the Ausindemnity of 1,410 million roubles from torious Chinese. The fail of the latter is alliance. A Vienna newspaper is informed trian Army. A despatch from Adrianople Turkey, of which sum a cession of territory imminent, and the former will not long that arrangements are being made for a says that on the Russian entering Eski in Armenia represents 1,100 million roubles. afford a shelter to the Emir, who is sup- meeting between the Sultan and the Grand Diuma they found the town terribly devas-London, March 6.—The 310 millions of posed to have fled there with a few of his Duke at Tchataldja. It is reported by tated, and burning in several places. The

after allowing 1,100 millions for the cession your paper to the effect that the Emperor Bosphorus, and three Austrian men of war were met with in the suburbs. The of territory in Armenia, are payable to the of China had conferred on Commissioners have received orders to proceed thither, Czarewitch has issued an ordre du jour Russian Government in cash. The occupa- of Customs the third rank in the Civil while the Italian vessels which were station- to his army, praising their heroism and tion of Erzeroum and Trebizonde is not Service, &c., is not quite correct. What ed at Salonica have left their moorings for reminding them that they may be called mentioned in the conditions, but the Rus- has been done is, a Civil button of the third | the same purpose. Prince Charles is re- upon to defend the territory of an ally. sian troops, when returning from Armenia, rank has been conferred on Commissioners ported to have replied to General Ignatieff | The Lom army is leaving its cantonments, are to embark at Trebizonde. As regard of Customs, and a Civil button of the 4th that "no Chamber, no Ministry, and not a and is to be echeloned along the Austrothe planting community is indebted for in view of the issue raised; it was absolutely Bulgaria, the terms are the same as class on Acting Commissioners. The two single Roumanian;" would ever consent to Hungarian frontier. The Russian troops awakening interest and confidence abroad necessary that the plaintiff should be previously stated—namely, that a Russian things are very different. The acting cede the least particle of territory. All in Western Bulgaria and south of the Commission shall superintend the new Taotai here is, I believe, only of the Roumanian newspapers oppose the Western Balkans are also expected to move tributary State for two years, whilst 50,000 Civil Service rank (officially during tenure retrocession of Bessarabla. According to northwards. General Zimmerman has been Russian troops occupy it for the same period. of Taotaiship he is of 4th rank, but this a telegram of Friday evening's date, from nominated to the command of the Danu-The Russians are to evacuate European rank is only Brigadier), yet he has had Athens, the Greek army, which has been re- blan fortresses, which he has been instruct-Turkey in three months, and Asiatic Turkey | conferred on him a Civil button of the 1st | called from Epirus, will be stationed on the | ed to strengthen by new earthworks. The in six months. Reuter's special correspond- rank. Chên is of the 6th or 7th Civil frontiers until the close of the European Con- retrocession of Bessarabia is said to be a ent at Constantinople states that the Porte | Service rank, and has had conferred on him | ference. Much public indignation has been | sine qud non condition of the Russian peace sanctions the Russian troops remaining at a button of the 3rd rank. A notice of the caused at Athens by the recall of the troops terms. Hostilities have been renewed in San Stefanos while the British Squadron is change of rank would have to be memo- from Epirus. By the Government the situain the Sea of Marmora. It is expected that rialized about by the Board of Civil Ap- tion is still considered to be critical. Orders | Christians by Bashi-Bazouks has been the European Congress will be held at pointments, in conjunction with the Board have been given for arms and ammunition | telegraphed to Athens from Crete. Borlin instead of the proposed Conference of Rites, and have to be Gazetted. The sufficient for an army of 50,000 men, and at Baden Baden, and that Prince Bismarck | conferring of a button can be done without | the Mobile National Guard is to be raised of Customs is still as he was before, of the Batoum is confirmed. Ismail Pacha has was opened to-day by the King in person. Oth grade, as I make it out; but he has now refused to surrender Erzeroum, on the plea His Majesty, in his speech from the throne, the permission to wear a button of the 3rd | that he had not yet received any orders to OPIUM, -New Patna, cash ... \$595 a 5971

London, March 8.—A long debate took It is reported that Liu, the present for instructions to Constantinople. The place in the House of Lords last night. The | Chinese Representative at Berlin, is to be | Russlan reply to the proposal for a Confer-Earl of Derby, who took part in it, said the recalled, and his place taken by Li Fung. ence, while accepting Austria's invitation, Treaty of Paris of 1856, which was revised pao, a mandarin who accompanied M. betrays an Intention on the part of Russia in 1.71, had ceased to exist, but was, how- Giquel to Europe in charge of the Naval | not to allow certain points in the preliminary ever, binding until Europe sanctioned a students. The rumour goes that Liu has conditions to be discussed. That the Consubstitute. He hoped that the Conference | been rather antagonistic to Kwo, and has | ference will be held is nevertheless regarded would effect a European and not a Russian | deprecated the former's frank and truthful settlement only of the question. The task, reports as too favourable to foreigners. the noble Earl said, would be a difficult This has naturally weakened the effect of one, and the issue was uncertain. General | the former's despatches, and if the rumour Ignatieff and Reouff Pasha start to-morrow is true we shall be glad to hail Liu's recall has sent a telegram to the Russian Ambassadors at the principal European capitals,

In consequence of the opposition of the Nganking, which was placed on the Ningpo and Shanghai line a few days since. in opposition to the China Merchants' Co., freights had been reduced fifty per cent. and Chinese passengers were carried for We are informed that, in compliance twenty cents, and provided with tea and rice. Now, the old charges have been the Chinese passengers, most of whom had We hear that, on and from Monday next | that the reduced system of fares was still in the C.M.S.N. Co. intend going back to the force, and strenuously objected to pay the fare of one dollar, which was demanded from also have had a narrow escape from serious | found it discreet not to insist upon payment of the higher fare. - N. C. D. News.

> DIARY OF THE WAR. (Compiled from the London Daily Papers. FRIDAY, Feb. 8.—The very latest scare from which the public in this country have suffered is the unfounded rumour that the Russians had entered Constantinople. London during yesterday there was considerable excitement, and the brief telegrams sent to the provinces produced much unnecessary alarm. The same news was cirproduce the same impression there, and at Berlin was even ridiculed. The fact, as stated in the telegrams, is, that in accordance with the conditions of the armistice. the Turks have evacuated the outer lines the fortifications of Constantinople. where several Russians had arrived to assist in the settlement of the boundaries which the respective forces should preserve. These have been drawn across the peninsula to the west of Constantinople and between the Black Sea and the Sea of Marmora, leaving between them a neutral zone. A Committee has been appointed by the Roumanian Senate to draw up a protest to the Guaranteeing Powers against the retrocession of Bessarabia to Russia. Free commercial intercourse by land and sea to be established again between Turkey and Russia. The Grand Duke Nicholas has telegraphed this news to St. Petersburg, News has arrived of the cessation of hostill ties between Greece and Turkey. The claims of Greece are to be referred to the projected Conference. In the meantime the Greek army will continue in the provinces of Thessaly and Epirus, Turkey undertaking not to attack the insurgents in Crete. The place where the Conference shall meet is not yet decided on.

SATURDAY, Feb. 9 .- We have at length an official statement by the Russians as to the bases of peace on which they insisted before granting an armistice to the Turks. They leave to the Russian commanders, demanding the evacuation of certain strategical points and fortresses as a material guarantee for the acceptance of the armistice conditions by the Porte. The Turkish Plenipotentiaries are required to proceed to Odessa or Sebastopol, in order to negotiate preliminaries of peace. Ignatieff is to be one of the Russian Plenipotentiaries. The Russians are, under the armistics conditions, to occupy Widdin, Rustchuck, Silistria, Belgradjik, Erzeroum. It is stated that should the discretion of Russia. In consequence of these conditions a portion of the British fleet has been ordered to leave Besika Bay and proceed to Constantinople for the protection of the British residents there. The information is confirmed that the Russians at present occupy the lines the Buyuk Tchekmedje-Dercos fortifications, about eighteen miles from Constantinople. There are no defences between these lines and the capital. The Russians are now in possession of Dedeagatch, and are advancing upon Gallipoli. According to the conditions of the armistice, the lines of Boulair will have to be evacuated by the Turks. Suleiman Pacha has left Constantinople for Larissa. The Italian fleet has reached Salonica. Greece has declared that Thessaly is annexed to the Greek territory. It is said that the country is in favour of the acquisition of the territory. No settlement has yet been come as to the place at which the Conference shall meet, but it is suggested by the Russians that it should be at some neutral place.

MUNDAY, Feb. 11 .- It is denied at Constantinople that there were suy secret

some, though denied by others, that the mutilated dead bodies of 200 persons appearing in the Gazette. A Commissioner to 140,000 men. The Russian defeat before that effect. He was allowed to telegraph in official circles here as certain, though the same confidence does not exist as to the eventual result being satisfactory.

TUESDAY, Feb. 12 .- Prince Gortschakoff

stating that in consequence of the British Government having determined to send a portion of its fleet to Constantinople, and other Powers having also resolved to send ships of war thither for the protection of their subjects, Russia is obliged to consider "the proper means of protecting those Christians whose life and property might be threatened," and to that end the entry of a portion of the Russian troops into Constantinople is directed. Orders have accordingly been sent to the Grand Duke Nicholas. The report as to the arrival of the English ships at Constantinople was premature. They have returned to Besika Bay, as the Porte has, up to the present time, refused the issue of the necessary Gold Leaf, ........ firman to enable them to pass through the Straits. In the House of Lords, last evening, the Earl of Beaconfield said that the Government had no information with respect to numbers of Russian marines having crossed the Balkans for the purpose of manning Turkish ships-of-war; and the Earl of Derby said that some delay had China Traders' lns. Co., \$1,200 arisen in sending the fleet up to Constanti- Chinese Insurance Co., \$250 nople, but that he had no doubt the difficulty would be speedily removed. Austria has applied to the Porte for authority to pass through the Dardanelles, but the French Government have resolved not to send their ships to the Bosphorus. Complaints have been made by the Greek Patriarch to the Turkish Parliament of massacres perpetrated by Circassians in thirteen Greek villages in the neighbourhood of Constantinople. As to the rumour of a secret alliance between Russia and the culated on the Continent, but failed to Porte, which is so emphatically denied at headquarters, the Vienna Correspondent of the Daily Telegraph observes that it is clear that no special treaty need be signed. the Porte being so completely at the mercy of Russia that resistance of any kind is completely out of the question, and if Russia chooses to dictate to the Sultan a declaration of war against England, he will be forced to sign it. WEDNESDAY, Feb. 13.—Direct communi-

cation by telegraph with Constantinople has been restored. Safvet Pacha left the capital yesterday morning en route for Adrianople to settle the final terms of peace. The English fleet is still awaiting orders. The official statement is made in St. Petersburg that the Circular of Prince Gortschakof respecting the occupation of Constantinople in case the British fleet goes to the Bosphorus is much approved in Russia. The Grand Duke Nicholas has expressed his satisfaction at the stoppage of the fleet In the Turkish Parliament several deputies urged the Premier to "act with consideration towards England in dealing with the question of the passage of the Dardanelles." A telegram from Vienna says that Austria does not object to the retrocession of the Roumanian portion of Bessarabia. According to a telegram of yesterday's date from Pola, the Austrian turret-ship Kaiser Max was to leave for the Levant : the ironclad Hapsburg, with Rear-Admiral Barry on board, being expected to follow to-day. Both at Paris and Berlin there is a general belief that war between England and Russia both in Europe and in Asia, the right of is inevitable. It is also inferred that a Russian occupation of Constantinople has been decided on, while from Vienna we hear that twelve Russian battalions will enter Constantinople to-day, a separate treaty between Russia and Turkey having been made. At Constantinople it is regarded as doubtful whether the Conference will be held, the Russians, as it appears, objecting to interference. A telegram which has been delayed in transmission says that the Governor of Egeroum having refused to capitulate, preparations for the bombard-Sultan deem it advisable the Russians will ment of the city were being made. The 19, Forward, telegram is, however, dated the 31st ult., the day on which the armistice was signed. | 25, G. B. S. THURSDAY, Feb. 14 -The Morning Ad-

vertiser has reason to believe that the British floot has passed the Dardauelles, and is now in the sea of Marmora. Admiral Hornby was left full discretion as to the forde he would take up with him, and, in all probability, a larger number of ships than was at first contemplated has been ordered up. The Porte has contented itself with a formal protest. A rumour provailed last night that Lord Derby had resigned; but the Morning Post confidently. contradicts it. Information is stated to have been telegraphed to the Porte by the Grand Duke Nicholas that in the event of the British first entering the Bosphorus the Russians will march into Constantinople. Only in the event of disturbances breaking out at Constantinople, which actually place in peril the lives of the French inhabitants, will the French Government send any vessels of war into the Bosphorus. It has, therefore, not applied for a firman, our Paris correspondent states, and has no intention of doing so. Measures are being Sept. taken by the Roumanian Government to mobilise all able-bodied men in case of Nov.

A correspondent writes :- The notice in British ships of war have arrived in the including several women and children. Thessaly, and news of further massacres of

#### Quotations. Hongkong, March 25, 1878. credit, -Old Patna, cash, ... None New Benares, cash, 575 a 5771 credit ---Old Benares, cash, None New Malwa, cash, 745 credit, 759 Taols, 6a16 Allowance Old Malwa, cash, credit. -Taols, --Allowance QUICKSILVER, ... 624 a 634

SALTPETRE, ... 61 a 62 Exchange. Bank, on demand, ... ... 3/104 30 days' sight, .. 6 months' sight, ... 8/11g Documentary, 6months' sight, ... 3/11 Bombay, demand Rupees, ... 2224 Caloutta, Shanghal, demand, ... 712 30 days ... ,.. ... 72% Bar Silver, 17, dwts. B., Syceв, ... ... ... ... Mexicans, ... ... English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns, ... Discount, ...

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Hongkong Bank, 55 % prem. Union Ins. Society of Canton, \$1,300 Yangtaze Ins. Assoc., Tla. 625 North China Ins. Co., Tls. 960 H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$690 China Fire Ins. Co., \$170 H.K. & W. Dock Co., 1 % prem. H.K. C. & M. S .- boat Co., \$16 % dis. Shanghai Steam Navigation, Tls. 22 Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 Hongkong Hotel Co., \$55 China Sugar Refining Co., par. Ohinese Imperial Loan, £105. Do. of 1877, £103.15/.

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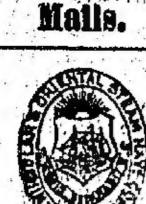
Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises Queen's Road.) Honekone, March 25, 1878.

1 P.M.... Thermometer—9 A.M.... 1 P.M... 4 P.M... Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. Do. -1 P.M. Do. 4 P.M. Do. Maximum Do. Minimum over night 67

Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers :-VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

AT HONGKONG, From. When left. Name. Flushing Roads 3, Andreas, Anna Bertha. Cuxhaven Hamburg San Francisco Elizabeth Ostle, Antwerp Liverpool Cadiz (8.), Johann Smidt. London London Elizabeth Shields, Hamburg Flushing Glengaber. Hamburg London N'castla (N.s.W.) 22, Belle of Oregon, Liverpool Liverpool 27. Farl of Devon. Antwern 30, Llizabeth Childs, Wandering Jew, Per Ardua. London Olympia (s.), Cuxhaven Liverpool Glaucus (s.),

Nourmahal. Lady Penrhyn. Falmouth Hedwig. Braemar Castle (a.), London



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THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KHIVA, Captain G. LEE, will leave this on THURSDAY, the 28th March at Noon. For further Particulars, apply to

A. LIND, Superintendent. Hongkong, March 14, 1878.

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Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, March 25, 1878.

NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

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THURSDAY, the 4th April, 1878, at Noon, the Company's S. S. A. N. A. D. Y. R., Commandant Moreau, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and acthe principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 3rd April, 1878. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and value of Packages are re-

quired. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. H. DU POUEY,

Hongkong, March 28, 1878,

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G. B. EMORY, Agent. Estatora, March 18, 1876.

Intimations. ESTATE OF DODD & Co.

T the MEETING held on the 12th Instant at Messrs Doop & Co.'s OFFICES, the following RESOLUTIONS were carried :-

1. That the affairs of the said Dopp & Co. shall be Liquidated by arrangement, and not in Bankruptcy. 2. That FRANCIS CHOMLEY be, and he is hereby appointed Trustee.

3. That H. ABENDEOTH and EDMUND Pyr be, and they are hereby appointed a Committee of Inspection.

All PAYMENTS on account of the Estate, it is requested, will be Paid to the order of the Undersigned.

> F. CHOMLEY, Trustee for the Estate of Dodd & Co.

Amoy, January 14, 1878.

NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, . IN LIQUIDATION.

THIRD RETURN of CAPITAL and INTEREST at the Rate of FIVE TARLS per SHARE will be made to Shareholders of Record on the 28th February, Payable at the Office of the Liquidators, on

the 8th March. Warrants will be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful representatives, on presentation of Share

Certificates for Endorsement. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 8th March inclusive.

By Order,

RUSSELL & Co., Liquidators.

Shanghai, February 28, 1878.

THE CHINESE MAIL.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING IN THE Chinese Mail.

TTWO cents a character for the first 100 characters, and one cent a character beyond the first 100, for first insertion, and half price for repetitions during the first week. Subsequent weeks' insertions will be charged only one half the amount of the first week's charge. Advertisements for half a year and longer will be allowed a deduction of 25 per cent on the total amount, and contracts for more favourable terms

can be made. Efforts have been made to establish Agents for circulating the Chinese Mail in all the ports and in the interior of China, all the ports in Japan, in Salgon, Singapore, Penang, Calcutta, Batavia, Manila, the Philippines, Australia, San Francisco, Peru and other places which Chinese frequent, When the list of Agencies is completed, it will be published. Agents have been already established in most of the above places, and in important ports more than one agent has been appointed at each.

> OHUN AYIN, Manager,

Hongkong, February 23, 1874.

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JAS, B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, November 1, 1871,

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Agents Hengkong & Canton Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

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RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 1, 1877.

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General Agents, Hongkong, Apri. 17, 1873.

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MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

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Manager-HO AMEL

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OFFICE, 48, Bonham Strand. Hongkong, August 28, 1877.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE, LECORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

His Majesty King George The Birst, A. D. 1720,

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-Marine Department, Policies at current rates payable either

here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, Ohina and Australia. Hire Department, Policiesissued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed.

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Life Department,

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPARY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON,

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Boochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hornicone, October 14, 1842.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1, From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8, From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name,	dage.	Captain.	Flag Ri	-	Tons,	Date Arriv		Consignees or Agents.	Destination,	Remarks.
Steamers	E L	12.127-	12		000	3 ,00	Gr.			
Altona	3 o	Miller	Ger.	str.				Douglas Lapraik & Co. Wm. Pustau & Co.	Coast Ports, do. Salgon	27th, dayligh To-morrow
Bombay	2 h	Green	Brit,	str.		Feb.	12	Kwok Acheong	* Constitut auftrantes	Laid up
Calrasmuir	4 0	Spowart	Brit,	str.	*	Mar.		Holliday, Wise & Co.	Nagasaki	1 - 4 - 4
Camoes	2 1	Williams	Brit.	Btr.		Mar. Oct.		Jardine, Matheson & Co. Kwok Acheong		
Cassandra	3 c	Langer	Ger.	str.		Mar.		Wm. Pustau & Co.	Litari e doi d	Company that I'm
Charlton	4 0	Johnson	Brit.	str.	876	Mar.	. 21	Landstein & Co.	Port Darwin	29th inst.
Cheang Hock Kian	2 h	Webb	Brit.	str.				Man Hing Chan	Swatow and Amoy	
City of Tokio	3 h	Maury	Amer.					P. M. S. S. Co. Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Y'hama & S. F'olsoo	Mails, 28th
Hailoong	0 0	Abbott	Brit.	str.				Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Tamsul, dzo.	K'loon Dock
Java				str.		Mar.		Wm. Pustau & Co.		क्षा है। यह समी अप
Kashgar	2 h	Baker	Brit,	str.			24	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Kelnchow	2 h		Brit.	str.		****		Kwok Acheong	ga M. O'Cale Fel Brodess (1914). Marina ara 1914 (1914).	THE THE PART OF
Khiya	5 0	DiNoill	Brit.	str.	1000	Mar.	25	P. & O. S. N. Co. Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Europe, &c. Swatow	Maile, 28th
Killarney Kjobenhavn	4 0	Jerichan	Dan.	str.	701	Mar.	12	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghal	To-day To-morrow
Marcia	4 0	Broker	Brit.	str.	1063	Mar.	23	Siemssen & Co.	Salgon	CALL ALL MAN
Marion	4 0	Smith	Brit.			Mar.	25	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Caller to the second	the control of
Mocoa	***	Morney	Brit.	atr,				Landstein & Oo.	The state of the s	Cos'tan Doel
Ocean					1110	Mar.	12	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Australian Ports	27th lost
Panay	Z D	Governechen	Snan	str.	500	Ont	20	Remedios & Co.	****************	Sanda' Slip
Perim	i	Linton	Brit.	str.	1016	Mar.	24	T. G. Linstead	LITTER DOG A	S. COL 126 Hand
Rajanattianuhar	3 c	Hopkins	Brit.	atr,		Mar.	21	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok	28th inst.
Sea Gull	5 h	Roberts	Brit.	str.	48	Sept.	18	Insurance Company		9 9 3 3 3 4 4
State of Alabama	4 0	Richie	Brit	str.	1511	Mar.	20	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	A Maria	11.15.5
Zamboanga	5 0	For	Span,	str,	651	Mar.	00	Landstein & Co.	The state of the s	11. 11. 11. 11
Zanzibar Vessels	0 0	PVA	DIII.	sir,	1400	mat.	20	arevers to CO.	Party Is It will be	FOR FEWER
	4 .	Traill	Rett	bae.	898	Mar.	10	Borneo Co., Limited	d the reply of the	and Belleville
Alden Besse	4 h	Noyes	Amer	bge.	842	Dec.	: 27	Rozario de Co.	Portland (Oregon)	The warden
Alex. Newton	1 0	Newton	Brit.	bge.	808	Mar.	22	Rozario & Co.	Tientali	
Allce M. Minott	40	Whitmore	Amer	sh,	1100	Jan.	28	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	London	
Angostura	4.0	Boysen	Ger.	bqe.	418	Mar.	21	Vojel, Hagedorn & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
Annie M. Smull B. F. Watson	2 0	Hawkins	A WOL	bae.	002	Nov.	25	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	of the graph and being a
Chandos	5 1	Emery	Amer	, buo,	1506	Mer.	E	Naval Storekeeper	a fall (\$50 d, all bylod a h	The California
Charger	2 k	Hallet	Amer	sh.		Jan.	28	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
City of Halifax	4 0	Evans	Brit.	sh.	860			Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
Coeran	***	Cromwell	Amer	nch.	150	Mar.		Insurance Co.	trinirinaerennia.	Jardine's 81
Conchita	4 1	Stoffens	Span.	bqe,	430	Mar.		Remedios & Co.		
Corona	2 8	Spence	C dt	pqe,	1199	Keh.	15	Meyer & Co.	Territorial and a second	Transmit in
Crusader	8 1	Gorham	Amer	bae.	668	N.35.	14	H. Klær & Co.	and,	deres
Edward P. Bouverie	4 0	Evans	Brit.	bae.	941	Jan.	25	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	The state of the state of
Elcano	2.0	Burmby	Amer	. sh.	1181	Feb.		Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Eme	2 0	Agale	Brit.	bge:	778	Mar.		Butterfield & Swire	10011	1 1 1 1 1 1
Empire	3 0	Leckie	Amer	sh.	1130			Messageries Maritimes Meyer & Co.	fanda	
Freeman Clark	***	Darloht	Amor	pqe,	1998	Dec. Jan.	-	Battles & Co.	London	Wanchal Pie
Globo	***	Harrison	Reit	bqe,	786	Feb.		Meyer & Co.	***************	Cos tan Dog Wanshal Pis
Great Admiral	4 1	Thompson	Amer	nb.		Aug.	19	Russell & Co.		11 314 416 4 10
Gustav	2 0	Johannsen	Ger.	bg.	240	Mar.	17	Eduard Schellhass & Co.		willing of the standing
Hark Away	4 0	Petts	Brit.	bge,			1	Russell & Co.		
Hei Cheong	2 0	Kent	Brit.	bge,				Chinese Messageries Maritimes	Manila	o way bile
Humboldt	5 0	Cara	Belt.	, sh,		Nov.		Meyer & Co.	London	30th Inst.
Jean Pierre	1 1	Lеданна	Feb.	bge.		Mar.		Carlowitz & Co.	**************************	Cos'tan Doe
Jessie Jamieson	8 0	West	Brit	bge.	504		. 22	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		
Kalaja	4 0	Roos	Russ.	bqe,			12	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Batavia	
Laughing Wave	4 0	Monard	Brit.	bg.		Mar.	_	Siemssen & Co. Carlowitz & Co.	Singapore	18 14/L 1/23
Louis Eugene	4 K	Shierloh	Gor S	-pde	245	Feb.	29	Eduard Schellham & Co.	Halphong	71. 12. 12.
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Marie Charlotte	8 c	Mehonas	Feb.	bae.	880	Mar.	23	Carlowitz & Co.	Calleo	1. V
Marquis of Argyle	3 k	McKeon	Brit.	bge.	500	Feb.	28	Rozario & Co.	5 3. 2. 2. 5. 5. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.	The second states
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Nicolaus Nimrod	5 1	Clark	Belt.	bqe.		Mar.	94	Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Adamson, Bell & Co.	Tientsin	Cleared
North Star	7 6	Thomson	Amer	ode.		Feb.		Douglas Lapraik & Co.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	or that it is
Uccident	4 k	Renter	Ger.	bge,		Mar.	22	Wieler & Co.		100
Onward	4 0	Hener	Brit.	bg.	210	Mar.	. 8	Lane, Crawford & Co.		
Orlon	3 с	Scott	Brit.	bqe.	381	Mar.	22	Amhold, Karberg & Co.	Parisaling College	Land Mill Control
P. J. Carleton	***	Amsbury	Amer.	bge,	986	Feb.		P. & O. S. N. Co. Russell & Co.	*****************	P. &O. Whar
Quickstep River Lagan	3 C	Onion	R.i.	bge.	826	Jan. Feb.		Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Victoria (V. I.)	
Rubicon	4 6	Timmsen	Brit 3	m'su	204	Jan.		Meyer & Co.		
Samar	8 c	Millar	Amer.	sh.	1056	Feb.	. 3	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.		
Seamen's Bride	2 c	Andreasen	Slam.	bqe.	314	Mar.	. 6	Chinese		
Spinaway	4 k	Pringle	Brit,	bge.	325	Mar.		Siemmen & Co.	Tany art and	
Star of India	3 k	Rava	DEL.	1		Feb. Jan.	14	Adamson, Bell & Co. Carlowitz & Co.		
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Titan	-	Berry	Amer.	ah.		Feb.	7	Russell & Co.	and the second second	Cortan Dock
Trio	Be	Bakker	Dut.	bge.	268	Mar.	21	Siemssen & Co.	Tientsin	THE POOL
W. E. Gladstone	Be	Gallichan	Brit.	bqe.	584	Mar.		Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Wega	10	Zacheus	Ger.	sh.	1115	Mar.		Melchers & Co.	New York	the state of the state of
Wildwood	5 C	cierriman	Amer.	Bh.	1099	A BIL	28	Russell & Co.	Portland (Oregon)	
Northern Star		Wortley	Rite	bac	997	Mar.	9	Wieler & Co.	Tientsin	A 1
Ulyanea		Guard	Brit	bge.	1560	Mar.	25	Butterfield & Swire	London, &c.	
West Stanley		Ashley		str.		Mar.		Siemsson & Co.		
			1 1 2 3		1,470		1		Taggille M. C. C.	10.94 X
Chinking		Orr	-	-	1 4 1	Mar.	A -	Stemmen & Co.	Shanghai	The second secon

# Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Flag.	Olass.	Tons.	Guns.	Н. Р.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
Andadous  Curiew  Growler  Hugon  Ling Fing  Magpie  Mecance  Monongahela  Victor Emanuel  Vigilant	5 k 6 c 6 h 6 c 6 k 6 c	Chinese British British French Chinese British British British British D. B. British British	gunboat iron-clad (flag-ship) gun vessel gun vessel man-of-war revenue cruiser gun vessel military hospital corvette Commodore's flag-ship despatch vessel	221 6034 774 464 1200 854 774 2591 960 8087 856	8 14 3 4 2 8 11 11	70 800 160 120 80 160 500	Mar. 25 Feb. 21 Feb. 21 Feb. 21 Mar. 15 Mar. 16 Feb. 22 Mar. 12	J. Godsil F. Durrant W. McF. Castle C. E. D. Willooz M. Galache J. Farrow W. M. Lang Wm. E. Pitzhugh Commodore Watson Lt. Com, Annealsy

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L.	March 16, 1878.  MERCHANT SAILING VESSEL.  China for Newchwang E. C. Mutch for Kobs v. Takon Oscar Mooyer for Newchwang Peter for Amoy v. B'kok Willie for Newchwang	Klang-kwan Chinese Klang-plan Chinese Klang-wae Uhinese Sin Nansing British Ta-yue-fung American Tung Ting Chinese Tunain British W. C. de Vries British	Forget-me-not British barque G. I. Ray British barque Bebe British barque Hopewell for London Joyce Phillips British barque Kai Sow British barque Kiutoau Light-vessel Leonore British brig		
	SHIPPING IN SHANGHAL HARBOUR, March 21, 1878.  MERCHANT STEAMERS.  Anadyr French Chinese	Yehsin Chinese Yungning Chinese  BAILING VESELLS.  Adolph German barque	Maid Marian British barque Maid of Judah British barque Norman Court British ship Rutlandshire British barque Supreme British barque		
d	Chin-tung Chinese Geolong British Glamis Castle British Glenfinlas British Hochung Chinese Honan Chinese	Anglo Norman  B. Aymar  Bello Morse  Canon Harrison  Carnaryonshire  Ching Tah  British barque  Ching Chinese barque	Taitaing British ship Titania British ship MEN-OF-WAR. Alori U. S. corretta Ashuelbi U. S. corretta		
1	* Since left port, or arrived at Hongkong.	Chocorna American sbip Commerce American barque Endymion for New York	Cyclop German gunboat Palos U. S. gunboat Thistle H. M. gun-ressel		

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